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Title COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR PHARMICO-GENE THERAPY OF
EPITHELIAL SODIUM CHANNEL ASSOCIATED DISORDERS

PETITION FOR A FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

MS AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a five-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Response to Restriction Requirement mailed October 5, 2006, said period of response being extended from November 5, 2006 to April 5, 2007.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$1080.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

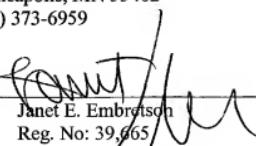
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